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Staff meeting.

Gordon Arneson came to see me about a statement that will be made by the Atomic Energy Commission regarding the present series of atomic tests at Eniwetok.

The Chinese Ambassador Mr. Wellington Koo brought in the Chinese Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. George Yeh. I had Mr. Troy L. Perkins with me. Yeh was educated at Amherst, [redacted]

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Myron Cowen came to see me. He is [redacted] interested in the problems at his post, but takes a dim view of the building activities [redacted] carried on there by FBO.

Franklin Gowen called on me, and we discussed [redacted] matters [redacted] he is to take up with CIA.

John Brantley, Deputy Administrator in Charge of Foreign Operations of the Petroleum Administration, came to inquire [redacted] whether we could not appoint Oscar Chapman as head of our delegation to the inauguration of the new President in Mexico. I told him this would be impracticable, as Charlie Brannan had already been designated ~~for this position.~~ We then had [redacted] a discussion about foreign petroleum problems, including the oil cartel suit.

George Garrett visited me to ask me to try to get an answer on certain claims [redacted] he had lodged in the Department for reimbursement for the expenses of shipping furniture to and from the Dublin Embassy.

Messrs. Daridan and van Laethem called on me. I had Bob McBride with me. They wished to call my attention to the function to be given next

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